

## General Assembly

## Committee Bill No. 54

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Referred to Committee on Government Administration and Elections

Introduced by: (GAE)

## AN ACT CONCERNING THE PROVISION OF VOTER REGISTRATION SERVICES AT NATURALIZATION CEREMONIES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) (Effective July 1, 2005) The Secretary of the State,
- 2 within available appropriations and in consultation with registrars of
- 3 voters and nonprofit organizations promoting voter registration, shall
- 4 provide or arrange for voter registration services for new citizens at
- 5 each naturalization ceremony held in the state by the federal Bureau of
- 6 Citizenship and Immigration Services for twenty-five or more new
- 7 citizens.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following
sections:

## Statement of Purpose:

To promote voter registration for new citizens.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]

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